

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q91867

Francesco MAKOVEC, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/562,013

Group Art Unit: 1621

Confirmation No.: 1621

Examiner: Jennifer Cho

Filed: December 23, 2005

For: METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION OF CRYSTALLINE DEXLOXIGLUMIDE AND PRODUCTS
OBTAINED

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

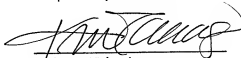
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of October 10, 2008, from January 10, 2009 to March 10, 2009.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$490.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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